From: Robert Rains
To: Emily Bremer

Subject: RE: Federal Engagement in Standards Activities Background and Proposed Policy

Date: Friday, October 14, 2011 9:59:48 AM

Emily,

Sure thing, glad it was on your radar, although not the least bit surprised.

Thank you,

Rob

From: Emily Bremer [mailto:ebremer@acus.gov]

Sent: Friday, October 14, 2011 9:58 AM

To: Robert Rains

Subject: RE: Federal Engagement in Standards Activities Background and Proposed Policy

Rob,

Oh, excellent! I've been hoping this would come out before the IBR project was finished. And I'm just now working on revising my report, so the timing could not be better. Thank you for the pointer!

Best, Emily

From: Robert Rains [mailto:RainsR@asme.org] **Sent:** Friday, October 14, 2011 9:49 AM

To: Emily Bremer

Subject: Federal Engagement in Standards Activities Background and Proposed Policy

Good morning Emily,

I hope this email finds you well. I don't know if this issue is off your plate now but last night at the 2011 World Standards Day Dinner Under Secretary for the Department of Commerce and Director of NIST Pat Gallagher announced a report on Federal Engagement in Standards Activities Background and Proposed Policy prepared by the National Science and Technology Council (NSTC). The report is live now on www.standards.gov and is attached. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Rob